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Address of the Assembly to the King Rec^d: 31 Dec^r 1689.

[Reports from the Committee of Secresy. dated 4th Septr 1689.]

The Comitty of Secresy appoynted by the Present Assembly the representative Body of this Province doe make this Report as followeth—viz':

We have Diligently, faithfully and with all due circumspection made inquisition into the severall affairs and concerns comitted to our care for discovering the truth thereof & we finde First that the late popish Governors have contrived, conspired and designed by several villanous practises and machinations to betray their Majestie's Protestant Subjects of this Province to the French, Northern and other Indians and that there hath been and still is eminent danger of our lives libertyes and estates by the malitious endeavours and combinations of the sd Governors with the Indians and papists to assist in our destruction and the subversion of our religion and we alsoe finde by the informations, examinations, evidences and depositions by us taken that the late Governors did prorogue & obstruct the last Assembly from meeting least the truth of their unjust contrivances and wicked designes should be made manifest and we the Committee aforesaid doe also discover and apparently finde the traiterous undertakeings of the said Governors in their renuntiation, disowning and denying the right, title and soveraignty of King William & Queen Mary to the Crowne of England and its dominions, the verity of the above particulars are to be further proved by other numerous Circumstances and evidences that are now in custody of the said Committee for their Majestie's service.

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